Table 16.—Percent of SSI disabled recipients benefiting from specified work incentive provisions, by diagnosis, September 1999

Diagnosis	Plans for achieving self-support (PASS) ¹	Impairment related work expenses (IRWE)	Blind work expenses (BWE)
Total number	1,069	9,601	4,037
Total percent ²	100.0	100.0	100.0
Infectious and parasitic diseases	1.1	2.1	0.8
Neoplasms	1.1	0.3	0.4
Endocrine, nutritional, and metabolic	2.4	0.6	0.9
Mental Disorders:			
Schizophrenia	9.5	4.5	0.0
Other psychiatric		7.6	0.3
Mental retardation	5.0	66.6	2.2
Diseases of the:			
Nervous system and sense organs ³	20.0	12.0	91.7
Circulatory system	2.5	0.9	0.8
Respiratory system		0.2	0.0
Digestive system		0.1	0.1
Genito-urinary system	1.7	0.3	0.1
Musculoskeletal system and connective tissues	5.8	0.8	0.1
Congenital anomalies	0.7	1.6	1.9
Injury and poisoning		2.2	0.4
Other	0.8	0.3	0.2

 $^{^{1}\,\,}$ Includes 70 persons with PASS plans which exclude only resources.

 $^{^{2}\,\,}$ Includes only recipients whose diagnosis information is specifically identified on the source files.

Most of the disabled workers who are classified as blind individuals are included in this category. A few blind participants have a primary impairment other than diseases of the eye and are coded in other categories in this table. Also, there are a few participants classified as having diseases of the eye who are not blind, whose impairment does not meet the definition of blindness.